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Appl. No.:	10/543,195) YOO, R.M.
Filing Date:	July 22, 2005) Art Unit:
For:	METHOD AND DEVICE FOR) 1744
	DISINFECTING A MICROTOME)
	CRYOSTAT)

Atty. Docket No.: U198US(PCT)

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450
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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above identified application. Please note the following checked items.

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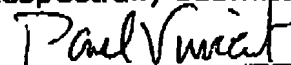
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TEPPKE, Dieter**CLAIMS AS AMENDED**

	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid For	Present Number Extra	Rate	FEE
Total claims	22	-	22	X	x\$ 50	0
Independent claims	3	-	3	X	x\$ 210	0
Multiple dependent claim added					+\$ 370	0
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- () A Petition for Extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a)
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- (X) Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However,
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applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee
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Respectfully submitted



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This communication is in response to the Office Action in the instant application mailed on August 7th, 2007. Please amend this application as indicated below.